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Drumlish & Ballinamuck Parish Newsletter



Every child born into the world is a new thought of God, an ever fresh and radiant possibility.

Kate Douglas Wiggins

Feast of the Baptism of the Lord Year C— 6th January 2019

Mass Intentions—St. Mary's Drumlish

Sat 20.00: Rose/Willie/Brigid Forde
Sun 11.00: Anthony Davis
Mon 9.30: Misa Pro Populo
Sun 11.00: Frank McWade & Paackie Joe Keogh

Mass Intentions—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Sun 10.00: Mary/Michael Flynn
Fri 19.00: Patrick McKenna & dfm, Gaigue
Sun 10.00: James/Mary Whitney, Fardromin
James P. /Cissie Lennon, Fardromin

Ministries—St. Mary's Drumlish

Readers Sat: Bridie Mollaghan
Sun: Sr. Kathleen Duffy
Communion Sat: Mary Gearty
Sun: Pat Corrigan

Ministries—St. Patrick's Ballinamuck

Readers Sun: Nuala McLoughlin
Communion Sun: Cora McKenna

Money Matters

Offertory €1285, Shrine €270;
Christmas Dues €245. Thank you.

Offertory Envelopes for 2019

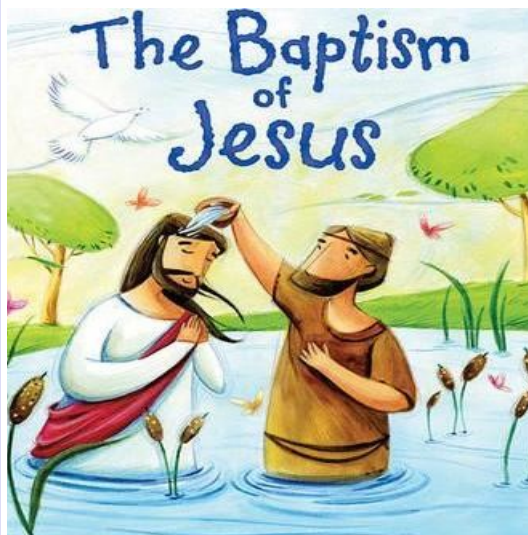
- Envelopes for the new year 2019 are now available. Please take your packet and that of your neighbour if you know that he/she worship outside our parish.
- If your name is missing and you wish to receive envelopes for 2019, please contact Fr. Ber, Adrian Lennon or a member of the Parish Pastoral Council.

Death

Pray for the repose of the soul of Eileen Ginty, Shanmullagh whose funeral took place during the week. May she rest in peace.



- **Mohill Computer Training** New Level 5 part time Design Skills and Digital Fabrication. This course will start on Friday January 18th and run for one day per week for approx 14 weeks.
- **DB Men's Shed AGM** takes place Thursday January 17th at 8.00pm in Men's Shed, Longford Rd. All welcome. For those interested in Wood Turning classes, First Aid Training,, health and safety and Manual handling TBC please contact any committee member.
- **Ballinamuck Community Christmas party committee** thank all who joined us at our Christmas party and also Dial a chef, the entertainers, those who donated prizes, Ballinamuck Olde Fair Day, Ballinamuck Foróige Juniors, Fr Manning Gales & Philip Davis memorial tractor run. Wishing all a happy new year.
- **Ballinamuck ICA** January meeting of the Guild will take place on Monday night January 14th at 8.30pm sharp. All members are asked to attend.



Drug Alcohol and Cyber Security

Fr Manning Gales and St Vincents are hosting an information evening on Drug, Alcohol and Cyber Security Awareness on Friday January 18th '19 in the clubhouse Monaduff from 7.30pm to 9.30pm. Its a very informative evening given by professionals. Every parent and child should know about the disease of addiction both substances and behavioural, it's effects on the family, also to learn about the basic cyber security tips to protect you and your family. It is open to the wider Community, to all Parents and Secondary school children age group up. All are welcome. This is a free event, there will be a question and answer session also light refreshments.



Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (18-25 January 2019)

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2019 has been prepared by Christians from Indonesia. With a population of 265 million, about 10 per cent of Indonesians are Christian from various traditions. There is a great diversity of ethnicity, language and religion. There are also tensions affecting politics, business, justice, wealth and poverty. Christian communities in such an environment become newly aware of their unity as they join in a common concern and a common response to an unjust reality. At the same time, confronted by these injustices, we are obliged, as Christians, to examine the ways in which we are complicit. Only by heeding Jesus' prayer 'that they all may be one' can we witness to living unity in diversity. It is through our unity in Christ that we will be able to combat injustice and serve the needs of its victims.

Moved by these concerns, the Christians of Indonesia found that the words of Deuteronomy, 'Justice, and only justice, you shall pursue' (see Deut 16:18-201 spoke powerfully to their situation and needs. As individual Christians and communities, we are called together to form a united witness for justice and to be a means of Christ's healing grace for the brokenness of the world.

Baptismal Blessing



Today is the feast of the Baptism of the Lord. Welcome to all those who had babies baptised during 2018 and who have come today to give thanks to God for the gift of their child and to join in the blessings of this special feast.

The following were baptised and welcomed into our faith community during 2018

Tadhg Toirdealbhach Russell
Chloe Catherine McLoughlin
Lara Louise McKenna
Cian Rory Connolly
Tristan Thomas O'Reilly
Jamie Gerard Donohoe
Kayla Olivia Donaghy
Ben Joseph McLoughlin
Harry Jayden Bushell
Diana Gažiková
Mark Frankie Davis
Iarla Noel McGovern
Lewis Kerrigan
Rene Josef Brozovsky
Anna Breege Davis
Nella Maria Palocajova
Loughlin James Kelly
Madison Rose Moran
Tadhg William Lee
Alanna Laura Brady
Matej Pompa
Ruari Pearse Shanley
Freddie Christopher Brady
Anna Mary Duffy
Aoibhinn Maggie Mulligan
Tyler Peter Campbell
Mia Lorraine Campbell
Sebastian Pompa